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PETITION FOR EXTENSION TECHCENT

This is a petition for an extension of time for a total of 1 month in response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements dated **June 28, 2001**. Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the number of months checked below:

| | Extension (months) | Fee for other than small entity | Fee for small entity |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$ 110.00 | \$ 55.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$ 390.00 | \$195.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$ 890.00 | \$445.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,390.00 | \$695.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$1,890.00 | \$945.00 |

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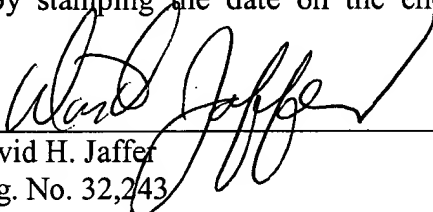
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If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

Attached is a check in the sum of **\$55.00** for 1 month extension. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Account No. 03-3975. Please acknowledge receipt of these materials by stamping the date on the enclosed, self-addressed card.

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